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Docket No.: 5407/1J328US1

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In re Application of: Daryl REAL; Mike D. TOKACH; Steve S. DRITZ; Jim L. NELSEN;
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Serial No.: 10/087,198

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Examiner: Donna A. Jagoe

For: METHOD OF ENHANCING REPRODUCTIVE PERFORMANCE IN SOWS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

This is a petition to extend the time for filing a response to the Office action dated December 18, 2002 in the above-identified patent application.

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